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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Group Art Unit: 2856

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For: GONIOMETRIC SENSOR

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

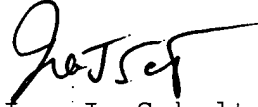
In response to the restriction requirement mailed January 30, 2006, Applicants elect Group I, Claims 3 and 4, with traverse, for prosecution in this application should no generic claim be found to be allowable. Claims 1, 2, 5 and 6 are generic.

With regard to Groups I through III, Applicants believe that they do not employ different general inventive concepts under PCT Rule 13.1, but only a different exemplary embodiment of the inventive concept defined by Claim 1.

The same reasoning applies to Groups IV through VI, especially with regard to whether the angle sensor is part of a glove or is attached to a wrist.

For the above reasons, withdrawal of the restriction requirement is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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